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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 5698**
Toshihiko MIYAMOTO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006_1252A
Serial No. 10/587,934 : Group Art Unit 1797
Filed February 22, 2007 : Examiner Danielle B. Henkel
SIMPLE PORTABLE BACTERIA : **Mail Stop: AF**
DETECTOR

AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated March 30, 2009, the period for response having been extended for one month, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

*The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency
or to credit any overpayment associated with this
communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975.*

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1797